Cochin State Railway.

Receipts.—The revised estimate of receipts under 'Railway' (Rs. 10,00,000) anticipates a decrease of Rs. 1,25,000 as compared with the budget estimate for 1100, due to the dislocation of traffic consequent on the floods of the last year.

The budget estimate for 1101 is fixed at the normal figure of Rs. 11,25,000.

Expenditure.—Both the revised estimate for 1100 and the budget estimate for 1101 are fixed at Rs. 9,00,000.

Miscellaneous.

Receipts.—According to the revised estimate the receipts expected are Rs. 11,500 while the budget estimate is fixed at Rs. 10,000.

Expenditure.—Under this head are included (1) The Sirkar Stables (2) Sirkar buildings other than palaces and (3) Miscellaneous—other heads of expenditure as "Subscriptions and donations", "Entertainment of State Guests", etc., etc.

The revised estimate of expenditure is fixed at Rs. 1,00,500 as against the budget estimate of Rs. 1,19,000, decrease being mainly due to the non-utilisation of the full provision under 'Unforeseen charges' for flood relief and also due to the fact that there were very few State Guests during the year.

The budget estimate for 1101 provides a sum of Rs. 77,100 required under normal conditions.

The provisions under "Subscriptions and donations", "Entertainment of State Guests", "Unforeseen charges", etc.,cannot be fixed with any amount of certainty and hence they are to be utilised only as necessity arises.

Debt Heads.

The Debt Heads include such items as Civil and Criminal Court Deposits, Personal Deposits including Devaswams, Advances, Remittances, etc., etc. The net transactions under these heads are exhibited in the consolidated statements of the Preliminary Budget.

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